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## WESTPORT

These Bath Houses—Return of Tourists  
—Drunk and Hurt—Historical Society Officers—Sent to Jail—Personal Mention.

There are yet some three weeks before the ram shackle bathing houses on Compo Beach must be removed. Up to date the weather and the water has been too cold for bathing. There is a rumor that some of the men who own bathing houses, which stand on property belonging to the town, propose to seek legal protection. If the selectmen cannot force the owners to take down the bathing houses, they were a little forthright in ordering them down. A meeting is to be held this evening for the purpose of coming to some conclusion in the matter. There has been a proposition that the town build a neat row of houses and let them to dwellers on the beach for a moderate rental.

Yesterday at Holy Trinity church Rev. Irvin H. Correll, of the diocese of Kyoto, Japan, preached in the morning. What he said about his work in Japan, and the very bright and intelligent natives, was deeply interesting.

Mrs. Edward Weaver, formerly Miss Ella Morehouse of this town, has recently died in Pittsburgh, aged 32 years. Her remains were taken to the home of her sister in Norwalk, where the funeral was held.

Irving Mills is now the foreman of the East End barns in Bridgeport. He used to be a local motorman.

The sum of \$40 was the result of an entertainment given recently by the pupils of the Cross Highway school.

To-day there return to town Mr. and Mrs. Stanley B. Fallow, Mr. and Mrs. Fred B. Hubbell, and Carlton Hubbell, who have been on a week's automobile tour through the northern part of this state.

Miss Hazel Ellis, of Charleston, S. C., is visiting in town. She finds the weather rather shivery.

A strange man recently tried to get into Mr. Robert Ellis's house late at night, but the sight of a gun drove him off.

Town Clerk Hyatt has recently bought a building lot in town, fronting on Lincoln street.

Mrs. Henry Baker, upwards of 90 years of age, is quite ill.

Three drunken men recently got onto a trolley and one fell off, scraping his scalp and possibly breaking a rib or so. The man who fell in his fight with the demon alcohol, said he lived in Brooklyn.

Louis Kozme, who kept his children from school, and worked them on his Green's Farms place has had to pay a fine of \$15.

Mrs. Louis Touquet has been visiting in Stratford.

Judge Foster of New York has been in town for a few days.

John Dailey has bought an acre of land at Canal and Main street. He purchased from the Lee Mfg. Co.

Yesterday the Sunday school children of Greens Farms, rehearsed their Children's Day carols.

Mary Dumbrowsky has been cleared of the charge of putting a baby into a local well. So ends a celebrated newspaper case.

Mr. George H. Mills wants a license to sell alcohol and other intoxicating drinks.

The new officers for the Historical Society for the coming year are: President, Col. John N. Partridge; vice-presidents, Dr. F. D. Ruland, M. H. Cooley and R. W. Post; secretary and treasurer, Geo. H. Boyden of the Staples High school; executive committee, John F. Goddard, F. M. Salmon, N. W. Foster; finance committee, C. F. Harris, Dr. T. C. Stearns, J. G. Hyatt; membership committee, W. H. Burr, H. R. Sherwood, and William L. Taylor.

Saugatuck has got an active baseball team.

About June 1st Dr. and Mrs. MacFarland are expected home at Greens Farms from a trip to Europe.

No open cars running in town last week for the accommodation of those who suffered with the heat. Closed cars and overcoats were in evidence.

A good many men and boys in town are laid up with sprained knees. And they are not the result of prying, either.

The town has a new grocery firm, Beers Brothers.

Judge Purdy has sent a drinking man and wife to jail for 30 days for neglecting to send their children to school. The family name is Kelly. Mr. Potter, the agent for the State Board, like the pale rider on the white horse, is about gathering them in.

He was brought to Fairfield one day in a fainting condition. The town court recently held a session in the new town house. They found the room in the basement cool and comfortable. Besides the lookout is conveniently close by.

If you want to feel well, look well and be well, take Foley's Kidney Remedy. It tones up the kidneys and bladder, purifies the blood and restores health and strength. It is made to take and contains no harmful drugs. Why not commence to-day? F. B. Brill, local agent. \*135

Masonic Appeal to Taft for C. W. Morse

New York, May 24.—An appeal to President Taft to aid Charles W. Morse, the convicted banker, because he is a Mason, has been made by Max C. Baum, an attorney living at No. 227 West 140th street. President Taft has replied to the communication through his secretary, and says that the attention of the Attorney General has been called to the case.

New Mills for New England

Boston, May 24.—Industrial expansion now in progress or in prospect in New England promises to make the present year notable for commercial growth in this section. In four States—Massachusetts, Rhode Island, New Hampshire, and Maine—new mills and additions to existing plants already under construction or planned number more than one hundred. About half of the number are in Massachusetts. Contracts awarded thus far this year for new construction in New England exceed \$54,000,000. This is more than double the amount for the corresponding period of last year, and far ahead of the figures for many years.

YOUNGEST WIRELESS OPERATOR ON THE MALLORY LINE

New York, May 24.—In the wireless room on the Mallory liner Mueces, when she arrived from Tampa yesterday was the youngest wireless operator who ever sat at a key on ship board and picked up shore messages. The young man, resident in a new blue suit, is Raymond Carroll, 15 years old, of 2104 Florida avenue, Tampa, Fla. Carroll is a high school student who has been experimenting with wireless.

When Frank Howland, the regular wireless operator on board was taken ashore ill at Tampa, the company could not get a man at short notice to take his place. Howland, who had become acquainted with young Carroll, via wireless, recommended that he be given the place, and Carroll was engaged.

HAT FOR EVERY HOUR SMITH GIRLS' LATEST FAD

Northampton, Mass., May 24.—The Smith College girls' latest fad—trimming their hats with flowers from the garden—is delighting the superintendent of the factory in Amherst, while the Northampton milliners are on the point of sending a petition for relief to the college authorities.

The ambulance rushed to the factory, says Supt. Shepard of the factory, "we have sold no less than 1,500 hats for this purpose. Girls come here at all times of the day in carriages, automobiles, and in the street cars. Two even came afoot a few days ago."

When or where the fad will stop no one knows. But the cost is small—only 15 cents per hat. A hat for every hour of the day is the present mode—each girl purchases from a half dozen to two dozen of the straw shapes, and decorates them to suit her fancy.

Hats to match shoes, waists, ties, or stockings are favorites, and, in addition, there are driving hats, golfing hats, tennis hats, and boating hats. All are of the most extreme type as to decoration and shape.

CHIEF CLERK BUSHNELL WILL ADDRESS CLERKS OF CONNECTICUT

E. T. Bushnell, chief clerk in the office of the assistant postmaster general of the United States, will represent the Post Office Department at the eleventh annual convention of the Connecticut Branch of the United National Association of Post Office Clerks, to be held in this city, Monday.

Bushnell is a Connecticut man and especially well informed regarding Connecticut postal affairs.

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## WRIGHT MODEL COMES HIGH

(Special from United Press.)

London, May 24.—Tussaud's Model Works, one of the biggest concerns of its kind in the world, is seeking legal advice to-day as to whether it can make models of the Wright aeroplane for exhibition purposes without infringing on the Wright brothers' patents. Representatives of the Wrights insist that the company must purchase the right to make such models which they offer to sell for \$50,000. John Tussaud, manager of the establishment, says this figure is prohibitive.

Tussaud says his company has not thought of making models capable of flying and will not include the motive mechanism in any models it may make. The Wrights' representatives say that any production of the aeroplane such as proposed by Tussaud would be a misrepresentation and would break injury to the future sale of the machine. It is believed that Tussaud will be defeated.

STEAMER ON ROCKS HAMMERED BY SEA

(Special from United Press.)

Block Island, May 24.—Hammered by heavy seas and in constant danger, the steamer Bay City was run on the rocks southwest of here last night. The revenue cutter Gresham is still standing by. To-day the wreckers will make a strong effort to dislodge the steamer and if they fail it is expected that she will be left to break up.

The barge Britannia which grounded and was subsequently wrecked, was taken to Providence to-day for repairs, by the tug Cascoe.

ENGLAND TODAY RECALLS BIRTH OF KING'S MOTHER

(Special from United Press.)

London, May 24.—Flags are flying throughout England to-day in celebration of "Empire Day" which is rapidly becoming an important national festival in Great Britain as the Fourth of July in America. More than ten thousand schools are indulging in the celebration of the birthday of Victoria and it is rapidly becoming an empty wide event. Oddly enough, the government buildings alone are making no display, though municipal buildings and town halls everywhere have hoisted the Union Jack and Colonial flags and in many places reviews of the local volunteers are in progress.

CASTORIA The Kind You Have Always Bought

GOT WET; GOT PNEUMONIA

Patrick McCann, whose habitat is the water front, fell off the city dock, foot of Wall street, Saturday evening. The ambulance rushed him to St. Vincent's hospital, where he developed pneumonia as a result of exposure.

THE STOCK MARKET

(Watson, Alpers & Co.)

While prices in many instances may be accounted "high," they are in but few cases so high that investment returns fall below the return that floating money can command. Therefore there remains a margin for advance in securities on existing conditions, with the possibility that the country's prosperity will carry profits of both the transportation and manufacturing to a point justifying a still higher level. It is always good policy to secure profits in season but in the absence of unexpected occurrences we should regard any reaction as temporary and inviting to purchases made conservatively.

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